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Me Van Le

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STORING
POSITION OFFSET INFORMATION ON A
HARD DRIVE ASSEMBLY CYLINDER

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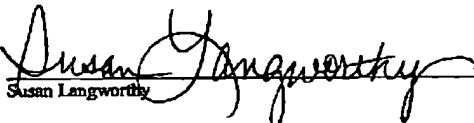
The undersigned attorney had a telephone conversation on June 23, 2009 regarding the above entitled patent application. The Examiner has requested a Rule 3.73(b) Statement regarding the chain of title. The Applicant is enclosing herein an executed 3.73(b) Statement per the Examiner's request.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: June 24, 2009


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June 24, 2009

Date

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